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AREA SON
Murat O. Kennett died Sunday, Nov. 16, 1980, at the Ledgewood Memorial Home, West Paris. Mr. Kennett was born Jan. 29, 1896, in Franconia, N. H., the son of Charles D. and Cora Gilman Kennett. He was a veteran of World War I and was a self-employed farmer, also an interpreter at Sturbridge Village, Mass. His wife, the former Anna Thompson died in 1976. He was a member of New Braintree (Mass.) Congregational Church; George B. Preston American Legion Post, Dover, Mass.; and Meridian Lodge AF and AM, North Brookfield, Mass.

Survivors include one son, Alden T. Kennett of Bethel; a brother, Ervil C. Kennett, Barnstable, Mass.; a sister, Menta Thrasher, White Plains, N. Y.; five grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Family services were held Wednesday afternoon at Highland Cemetery, Dover, Mass.

VETERANS NIGHT OBSERVED
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Barker and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley Barker; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Daye and their daughter, Sharon, who was presented a medal as essay finalist.

Speakers during the program included Carolyn Barr, Department Americanism Chairman, who recognized Unit 81 for outstanding Americanism program; Gracia Eisman, who noted items needed for the "Togus" supply closet and the Gift Shop, open Dec. 1 through Dec. 6; Zena Keyes, whose subject was membership and Jeri Brooks, Department Chaplain, who explained the Special Olympics proof-of-purchase program and stamp program and also said a special prayer for the hostages in Iran, the POW's and MIA's. Donna Light, Department President, praised Unit 81 on reaching their quota in membership and mentioned projects of the Department. Legion Department Service Officer, Howard Eismann, spoke on services available to veterans, especially those of World War I, and Commander Cicotte commented on Veterans Day observances.

Welcomed as new members of Mundt-Allen Post and Unit were Mr. and Mrs. Burton Hejduk, Mrs. Agnes Thurston and Earl Corby. Other guests were Robert Burbank of the Department Finance Committee; Carolyn Brooks, District Adjutant; Bryant Gurney, Oxford County Commander; Alexander Cummings, Past County Commander; Eldon Bartlett, Commander of the meeting; Bill Barr, Post #66, Lisbon Falls; Everett Cross, Post #68, Locke Mills; Fannie Cummings, Past Department President; Vera Cross, Oxford County President; Carmen Bartlett, President of Unit #68; Ruth Wilkinson, of the Wilton Unit.

The program ended with the Singing' Rebel Jazz Band of Telstar Regional High School, directed by Jerry Heffley, providing the entertainment and music for dancing.

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Three Maine ski shops, the Ski Rack in Livermore Falls, The Shed in Falmouth, and Jack Frost Ski Shop at the Sunday River Ski Area, will host Thanksgiving Demonstration Days at the Sunday River Ski Area on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, Nov. 28, 29 and 30.

Skiers are welcome to try out the latest model skis, boots, and bindings from the major manufacturers. Representatives of several ski companies will be on the slopes to answer questions about their products. Companies participating will include Rossignol, Elan, Hexcel, Kneissal, Dynastar, Kastle, Nordica, Caber, Hanson, Dolomite, Salomon, Geze, Marker.

Weather permitting Sunday River hopes to have the Ecstasy, Low-or Sunday Punch, Rocking Chair, Cascades, and South Ridge Slopes open for skiers to test the new equipment.

Sunday River is currently open from the top of the mountain with a 6-50" manmade base. All skiers purchasing a lift ticket on Thanksgiving Day are welcome to have a free turkey dinner at 4 p. m. in the lodge.

SOMETHING MAY BE MISSING
Several regular features do not appear in this week's Citizen due to earlier deadlines necessitated by the Thanksgiving holiday. Contributors were notified of the earlier deadlines during the past two weeks.

Overeaters Anonymous will be meeting Wednesdays from 1-2:30 p. m. Call Ann at 824-2146 or Maureen at 824-2949.

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FROM THE bethel town office

The Town Office will be closed this Thursday and Friday, Nov. 27 and 28 in observance of the Thanksgiving holiday. 1980 taxes can be paid through Monday, Dec. 1, without interest. Interest at the rate of 18% per year will be charged on all unpaid taxes beginning Tuesday, Dec. 2, with interest retroactive to Oct. 1.

The Board of Selectmen met Monday evening, Nov. 24, in the meeting room of the Bethel Savings Bank and acted on a variety of items.
Dr. Wayne F. Gerson, S. A. D. 44 Superintendent of Schools, met with the Selectmen to explain the Alcohol, Other Drugs and Highway Safety Prevention-Intervention Project being undertaken by the School District. Dr. Gerson indicated that similar projects were undertaken in South Paris and Rumford last year.

Following Dr. Gerson's presentation, the Board voted to support the project and agreed to help facilitate training for the project team, provide administration support and assistance to this team in the implementation of alcohol, other drugs and highway safety education programs and activities within the school and community, and agreed to examine and develop formal recommendations on alcohol, other drugs and highway safety policy in local programs of alcohol, other drugs and highway

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OXFORD COUNTY NUCLEAR REFERENDUM COMMITTEE FUELING UP FOR 1982

The Oxford County Nuclear Referendum Committee met in South Paris, Nov. 23, to organize its efforts leading to the 1982 referendum. The referendum will be similar to the question put to voters in 1980, but will include a date for phasing out rather than immediate shutdown of existing nuclear power plants.

The group's priorities will be primarily educational and will pertain to the viable alternatives in both energy sources and costs, the growing costs of nuclear generation, and the yet unsolved problem of satisfactory waste disposal.

Upcoming events sponsored by the committee include a film/fund raiser evening in January, and a regular newsletter. People in the Bethel area who wish to become active in the efforts of the committee are urged to contact Robin Lee.

PURITY CHAPTER #102 O. E. S. TO MEET WEDNESDAY, DEC. 3
There will be a stated meeting of Purity Chapter #102, O. E. S., on Wednesday, Dec. 3, at 7:30 p. m.

Members and guests will enjoy the annual Christmas Smorgasbord immediately following the meeting together with a gift exchange and auction.

Supper committee is: Rachel MacKay, Helen Morton, Betty Perkins. Please contact one of these members regarding what to bring for the Smorgasbord. Ladies please bring a gift marked "Ladies", men a gift marked "Men". Handmade, novelty, or new items for the auction will be welcomed.

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A gift to cheer and bless each heart,
It is Thanksgiving!
—Emma C. Dowd

BETHEL HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO FEATURE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PROGRAM, DEC. 4
Old time Christmas music, traditions and refreshments will be featured at the annual Christmas meeting of the Bethel Historical Society to be held Thursday, Dec. 4, in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House beginning at 7:30 p. m. Anyone having old toys, dolls, cards or other Christmas memorabilia from the past is cordially invited to bring it in for display during this meeting.

Following the Christmas portion of the meeting, a slide presentation will be made by Society Director Stanley Howe, focusing on some of his impressions and observations while participating in the Seminar on Historical Administration at Colonial Williamsburg. Howe was one of 18 historical administrators selected from across the country to spend a month this

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Christmas Parade and Tree Lighting to be Friday, Dec. 12

The second annual Christmas parade and tree lighting ceremony will take place in Bethel on the evening of Friday, Dec. 12. The date will mark the arrival of Santa Claus in the town, lighting of the town's Christmas tree and a drawing to see who will have the honor of lighting the tree.

Starting on Saturday the week before, entry forms and boxes will be available in local shops for those wishing to sign up for the tree lighting. The winner will also receive a special Christmas gift—a Julie Daye brown Teddy bear. Last year's winner was Loretta Long, a fifth grader at the time.

The tree for Christmas 1980 will be placed in the same spot as last year, on the grounds of the old Thunderbird Motel on Main Street. However, there will be two improvements over the arrangement of a year ago. First, there will be a protective snow fence around the tree to prevent people from stumbling over guy wires. Also, courtesy of P. C. Chadbourne and Co., a flat bed trailer will be placed next to the tree for area lighting and to act as a platform for those involved with the lighting ceremony and for carolers. Last year the crowd of onlookers swamped the group of carolers and the ceremony's participants who had to fight their way to the master switch that was connected to the tree's lights.

Parade time is 7 p. m. There are a number of other details to be completed and next week's Citizen will carry more of the final arrangements.

Bethel's tree lighting ceremony is one of only a few Maine events to be listed in Yankee Magazine's Guide to New England Winters.

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FORMER AREA RESIDENT TO APPEAR ON WCBB CHAN. 10 THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 27

One of the contestants on "So You Think You Know Maine" to be shown Thursday, Nov. 27, on WCBB Channel 10 TV is Thomas Thurston of Bolsters Mills. Familiar to residents of this area for his family ties with Andover and as a former employee of Bryant Pond Telephone Co., Tom is now Business Office Supervisor for Continental Telephone in Raymond.

The program, which was taped on Oct. 22, will be broadcast at 8:30 p. m. Thanksgiving Day only. Normally this program is re-broadcast on Sunday evenings, but this particular segment will not be, due to the beginning of Pledge Week on Channel 10.

Newry

—Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres.—

Special Thanksgiving Services were held at the Newry Community Church Sunday, with Rodney Hanscom, Pastor, and Robert Duran, Organist. The following program was presented: Call to Worship; Hymn; Come Ye Thankful People Come; Invocation; Gloria Patri; Responsive Reading; Hymn of Thanks; Announcements; Hymn; Pre-Offertory Prayer; Offering; Thanksgiving Prayer in Unison; Hymn of Confession; Silent Prayer; Hymn of Assurance; Pastoral Prayer; Scripture; The 100th Psalm; Message, "Thanks to God"; Prayer; Communion; Hymn of Confession; Benediction; Postlude. Christopher Hanscom assisted with Communion.

Randy Swan and Ray Straight, Barre, Vt. were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Lee Swan.

Arthur E. Gauthier reported 20 deer tagged at the Local Game Inspection Station last week, for a total of 42 through Nov. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Tetley left Wednesday for West Warwick, R. I., called there by the illness of his mother. They will go from there to Florida for the winter.

Mrs. Sylvia Harrington is staying at the Tetley home for the winter.

Robert Pelletier and two friends, Windham, were at the Pelletier trailer for the first week of hunting.

Earl Engleland, Island Heights, N. I., and four friends from Philadelphia, Pa., were at the Mobus camp last week.

Allen Haney and Ronald Arver, Coventry, R. I., were hunting in the area last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover, Hollis, spent the week end at their trailer.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Glover, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Glover and family, Hollis, Tracy Glover, Buxton, called on Amy and Roger Hanscom, Saturday.

The Ladies Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Sylvia Wight, Dec. 1, at 7:30 p. m., for a Christmas tasting party. Each one is to bring a Christmas Tree ornament.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Bachelier and Brent for a pre Thanksgiving dinner Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Philip O'Donnell and children, Cumberland, Aaron Bachelier and Coleen Andrews, Mars Hill, Heidi Bachelier and Arlan Littlefield, South Paris, Travis, Brian and Tracy Bachelier, Gilberte Seeley, Newry.

Thanksgiving Day guests of Mrs. Eleanor Morton will be Mrs. Rebecca Melchin and children, Hyde Park, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cummings, Mrs. Patricia Saunders and family, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morton, Brookside Morton, Jock and Peter Morton, and Mrs. Gilberte Seeley, Newry.

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Our sincere thanks to the staff of Ethel Bisbee School for their donation to the Heart Fund in memory of Dawn Marie.

Everett, Nellie, Becky, Vickie and Chris Hatstat



The Week in Washington

by Sen. George J. Mitchell

Budget Cuts

Last week I supported an amendment to the Budget Resolution for next year that will allow for a tax cut for American workers and American businesses.

As a member of the Senate Budget Committee, I am committed to working toward a balanced budget.

The members of the Committee and Congress will have to exhibit determination and discipline if we want to stay on the path that this year's budget plan has set—to reduce the rate of spending growth and restrain those programs which trigger automatic spending.

There is no doubt of the need for a properly targeted tax reduction. However, the events of this past year demonstrate that curbs in spending by themselves do not nullify the effects of inflation on the budget. Between May and August, a budget that had been precariously balanced without a cut, found itself in the red to the tune of almost \$20 billion. This did not result from any action of the Congress, nor from any inaction of the Congress, but purely because inflation increases entitlement programs which trigger direct federal spending, unemployment reduces federal tax collections, and the price the federal government must pay for everything, from airplane fuel to paper clips, goes up in an inflationary economy.

The unemployment and stagnant economic conditions we face today represent as much a drain on federal resources as the proposal to reduce the tax burden.

Working men and women pay taxes—they do not draw upon the federal employment for unemployment insurance, for food stamp aid, for other income support programs. Working men and women in a growing economy do not retire early; they do not seek to leave the uncertainties of the workforce for a smaller, but assured stipend from the public sector.

At a time when a huge proportion of our economic problems stems directly from import competition and stagnant productivity, this Congress should not ignore its duty to establish the kind of climate in which businesses can modernize operations, increase output.

One proposal I favor has been reported by the Senate Finance Committee. It is a responsible and well-targeted bill. It strikes a good balance between the need to offset the higher Social Security taxes that go into effect next January and at the same time, provides relief and incentives to our business sector to make the financial commitments necessary to compete in the international marketplace.

The bill avoids indiscriminate, untariffed tax reductions. It is carefully drawn and provides the kind of selective relief that will fulfill the Congressional responsibility to shape our economy to respond to the need for enhanced economic activity.

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NURSERY SCHOOL at the home of Mrs. Linda Bouchard held a Thanksgiving Tea on Monday, Nov. 24.

Children dressed in costume presented parents and guests with corsages they helped to make. There was a short performance of songs and finger plays relating to the Thanksgiving Holiday.

The children had prepared stuffed celery, pumpkin bread and pumpkin pie for refreshments. Tea and punch were also served.

Appearing above, left to right: Gabriel Perkins, Danny Barker, Jennifer Bean, Julie Cox, Jill Olson, and Hannah Gersen.

put, keep overhead costs down, and provide the jobs that so many of our people need.

The provision of room in the Budget Resolution does not commit us to any specific form of tax cut. It does not require us to write a cut based on this or that particular bill. It will simply set a realistic upper limit on the scope of the tax reductions that can be considered for the present fiscal year.

The amendment provides for a fiscal year tax reduction of \$22 billion. That is the nine-month equivalent of a \$39 billion annual tax cut.

Numerous proposals have been advanced as to the form such a cut would take.

Last spring I opposed—and I would oppose again next spring—the kind of indiscriminate, untariffed tax cut, which disproportionately benefits higher income tax payers, and a depreciation proposal that threatened the economy with an inflationary speculative boom in commercial buildings. We did not need such a tax cut then, and we do not need it now.

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North East Lovell

—Pauline Smith, Corres.—

Helen Greenwood has been moved to Hazel Allen's for the winter.

Kenneth, Dot Smith took Pauline Smith to Rachel Gran's wedding at the United Church of Christ, Lovell Village. Very pretty wedding. Rachel married William Kuvaja.

Larry Fox took his mother, Iva Fox, and had dinner at Linda and Neal Allen's Sunday evening.

Stephen Hinderson called on the Smiths, Sunday.

Norman, Scottie Christopher visited at Arthur Weeks' Sunday.

Dot Bell visited Marion Kendall recently.

Rev. Willard Bickett preached at the United Church of Christ. Special music and he sang Thanksgiving Song.

There will be a Christmas sale at the church, Dec. 6, 1-4 p. m.

Paul, Iva, Kevin Fox visited Paul's mother and Fred, Sunday.

John, Ruth Fox took LeRoy, Pauline Smith to Portland Wednesday for Roy's check up. Marion Kendall stayed with Iva Fox.

Arline Merrill and Margaret Weeks visited Pauline Smith the past week.

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Dr. Wayne F. Gersen

Professor Richard Hill of U. M. O., a widely respected energy expert, addressed the Maine School Management Association in November outlining the long-range energy forecast for our country. Professor Hill's forecast was bleak. We are using up our non-renewable resources, and the alternative energy sources—even if they were fully developed—would not be sufficient to meet our current demand. Professor Hill's message was clear: We will not be able to consume as much energy in the future as we do in the present. Professor Hill's message is obvious to anyone managing a budget in today's world. As energy costs increase, consumers find themselves having to either reduce energy consumption, or reduce their spending in another area.

The school district, like any consumer, is faced with a similar dilemma—we must either reduce our energy consumption or reduce our spending in other areas. In the past three years, S. A. D. #44 experienced a modest reduction in energy consumption but faced over a 100% increase in energy costs. In the year ahead, the district plans two major undertakings to reduce energy consumption: a re-routing of the bus routes; and, the development of a building plan.

Last year S. A. D. #44 buses traveled over 300,000 miles. Currently, the bus routes are organized so that elementary students are picked up separately from the secondary students. As a result, elementary schools open and close 45 minutes later than secondary schools. For the coming year, we have developed a proposal that combines bus routes and results in a projected savings of over 80,000 miles of travel per year, and at least 12,000 gallons of gasoline per year. Additional significant savings may be realized by extending the walking distances and consolidating bus stops, thereby reducing the number of times a bus must stop and start. These

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modifications of bus routes would mean a sacrifice on the part of many students, parents, and school district personnel, but with the cost of energy escalating, the proposal to consolidate bus runs will receive serious consideration from the Board.

With energy costs pushing the tax bills higher and higher, the notion of a building program seems preposterous. However, several buildings in our district consume excessive amounts of energy. The main building at Woodstock Elementary School, Crescent Park and Ethel Bisbee Schools, each use approximately 1.1 gallons of heating oil per square foot per year. A retro-fitted building, in optimal condition, consumes .75 gallons per square foot, and a new building could conceivably use less than .5 gallons per square foot. With buildings as inefficient as ours, and the cost per gallon of heating oil rising, we may experience a relatively quick pay-back on either renovating or replacing our buildings. A building plan may appear to be a radical solution, but in the next five to 10 years it may pay for itself, and in the next 10 to 20 years save the taxpayers of S. A. D. #44 a considerable amount of money.

These are two steps S. A. D. #44 will be exploring in the next six or eight weeks in an effort to conserve energy. We realize that we will not be able to consume energy at our current rate, and we enlist your support and seek your ideas in making our district more energy efficient.

CARD OF THANKS

To all those who remembered us with cards and other expressions of sympathy at the loss of our daughter, Dawn Marie, our heartfelt thanks. Everything was greatly appreciated.

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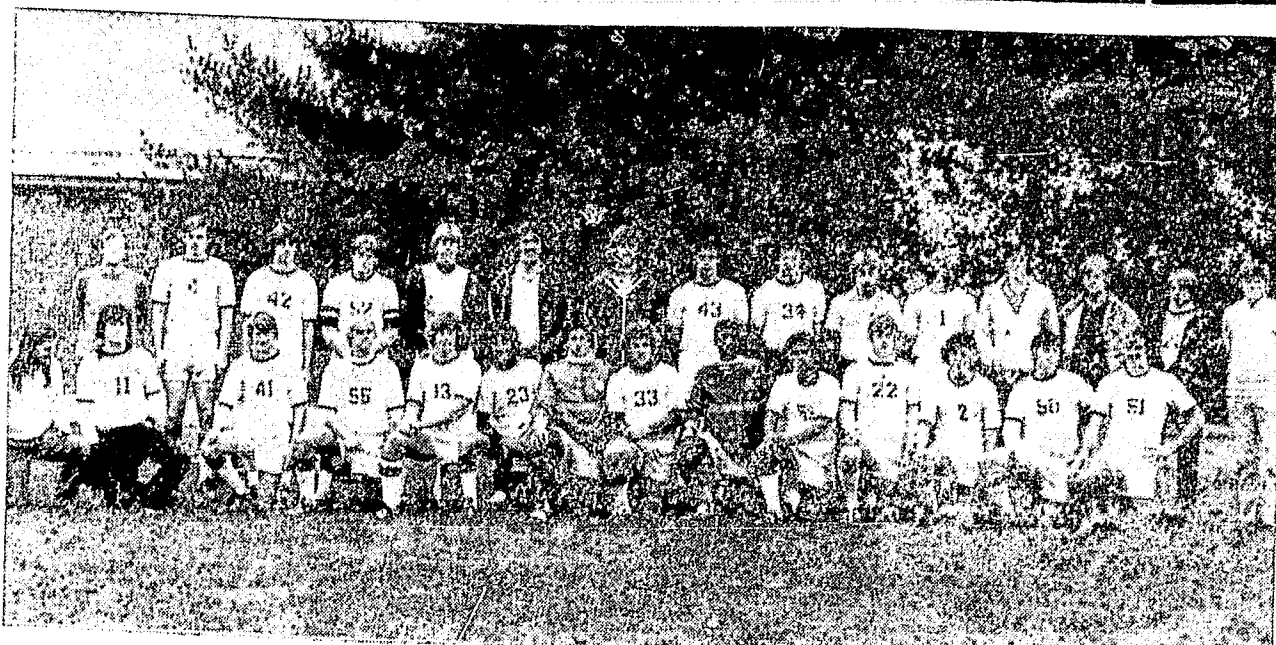
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Advanced First Aiders and E.M.T.s are reminded Nov. 30 at 2 p.m. is the next scheduled Refresher Class. Meet at the Fire Station for a session on Extrication.

Safety Tip of the Week:

Make Fire Prevention a Tradition
Fire Prevention should become an important tradition in your daily lives.

During the 1980 Holiday Season please practice the following:
Have a fire drill in your home to be sure everyone knows what to do in case of fire. Designate a specific meeting place outside so you will all know who's outside of the house.

Remember: Fire Extinguishers put out 97% of all fires on which they were used, and most large fires start as small fires. So, invest in a compact, easy-to-use fire extinguisher. Keep it handy in your kitchen, or be prudent and buy one for your cottage, car, boat and the back bedroom.

Some excellent smoke, heat, and fire-detection systems are available to homeowners. Shop around and buy the one that suits your needs.

Now, in case of fire:

If you suspect fire, alert the rest of the household. But first feel the top of the door. If it's hot, don't open it. Escape through the window.

If you can't open the window, break it with a chair. Cover the rough edges with a blanket, sit on the window ledge with one leg hanging outside and one inside, and wait for help.

The phone number of your fire department should be taped on every telephone. If it isn't, don't fumble around trying to find it. Get out and call from a neighbor's house.

If you live in an apartment building, use the stairway. Don't take a chance on the elevator. If it fails, you're trapped.

Once out, stay out. No treasure is worth risking your life.

BETHEL BRIDGE CLUB

In a Howell game Friday, Nov. 21, the following were winners at the Bethel Bridge Club: 1st, Elaine and Dutch Dresser; 2nd, (tie) Cynthia Mason and Norma Jodrey; Woody Mercier and Sue Farnham.

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TEAM HONORED

Gould Academy's outstanding varsity soccer team was recently honored at the school's annual Fall Sports Banquet. The team, coached by Charles Newell and John Wright, placed second in the SPA's Western Maine Class C final standings with a 14-0 record; then went on to defeat Carabao High School 4-0 in the first round of tournament play, and then lost a hard played contest to Richmond High School 3-2 in triple overtime.

Two Gould forwards, Cruegar Morrill and Troy Ming, were named to the Western Maine Class C all-state team as a result of their outstanding play all season. Morrill, a junior from North Baldwin, netted 21 goals and had 11 assists, and was voted by his teammates as the Outstanding Offensive Player for 1980. In addition, he was chosen one of the tri-captains for next year's team. Ming, a senior from Bermuda, scored 20 goals and collected eight assists, and was

voted by the team to receive the Most Valuable Player Award.

For the 18 games played, the team scored a total of 74 goals on 50 assists. Other high scorers for Gould included senior co-captain J. C. Pritchard, Bryant Pond, with 10 goals and four assists; and Rob Monaghan, Harvard, Mass., six goals and seven assists.

Only 31 goals were scored against the team, with goal keeping chores taken care of by junior Dino Slayton, Bronx, N. Y., and senior Lowell Kronowitz, Savannah, Ga. Slayton, playing soccer for the first time, was voted the Most Improved Player Award, and the second 1981 tri-captain, junior fullback Scott Hurd, Bethel, was elected as the third tri-captain and shared the Best Defense Award with senior co-captain Glenn Flynn, Lansing, N. Y.

With nine returning lettermen for next season, Coaches Newell and Wright look forward to the Huskies having another premier soccer season at Gould Academy.



VISIT SEWING CLASS — Aline Crockett, right, proprietor of "The Fabric Emporium" and assistant, Lisa Fox, left, visited a Home Ec. sewing class at Telstar Regional High School last Thursday morning and brought in samples of fabric and pattern books. They suggested ideas on style, color and fitting to suit each individual as they begin their sewing projects.

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KAPPA SIGMA FRATERNITY BEING RE-INSTITUTED AT UMO

Between 30 and 35 founding members will be initiated as the first step in re-instituting Kappa Sigma fraternity at the University of Maine at Orono. Originally established at UMO in 1888, Kappa Sigma was closed as a UMO fraternity in 1979 following loss of its chapter house by fire in 1978. Current plans call for operation as a colony for at least 90 days before application can be made for chapter status again. The UMO Greek system which now includes 17 chapters of colonies, has been called one of the strongest such systems in the country by organizers from Kappa Sigma International.

IN MEMORIAM

In Loving Memory Mother

Echel M. Barnett

A mother's love knows no age

it knows no time at all

A Mother's love is forever

whether you're good, bad, short

or tall.

As long as the golden heart beats

the mind can think and feel

Long before there's a spoken

word

a sheltered warmth is felt, love

is for real.

Time soon melts into age

months, then years, drift swiftly

by

A gentle touch, a smile, a word

a note of approval, a saddened

sigh.

Something beyond our comprehension

is the way that life began

Events are for our meditation

spiritual things will as such remain.

One may plant the smallest seed

we cannot make it grow

We are only caretakers here on

earth

to plant, to reap, to sow.

We may build today for tomorrow

castles, dreams or homes

Wiped out in an instant by fire

or windstorm

who made of steel, rock or stone.

The world in all its glory

the plan of God for man

To Him to hold the secret

his miracles, secrets are hard

to understand.

I only know I miss you Mother

and believe we'll meet again

But until he tells me my time has

come

I will try and understand.

Lovingly,

daughter Esther and family

MRS. FERRON HONORED AT BABY SHOWER

Mrs. Freda Gaudreau was hostess at a baby shower honoring Mrs. Joline Ferron, Thursday evening, Nov. 13, at her home in Gilead. Mrs. Ferron received many lovely gifts. Refreshments were served after Mrs. Ferron opened her gifts. The shower cake was made and decorated by Mrs. Diane Leighton of West Bethel.

Those attending were: Mrs. Anna Belanger, Mrs. Jean Corriveau, Mrs. Nancy Corriveau, Mrs. Lucella Cole, Mrs. Rose Legendre, Mrs. Lucienne Legendre, Miss Judy Legendre, Miss Kathie Corriveau, Miss Tammy Corriveau, Miss Elaine Corriveau, Mrs. Mildred McLain, Mrs. Maxine Corriveau, Mrs. Linsley Chapman, Mrs. George MacArthur, Mrs. Eleanor Conary, Mrs. Anita Ferrand, Mrs. Jo Monahan, and Miss Debbie Gaudreau.

Sending gifts but unable to attend were: Mrs. Beverly Corriveau, Mrs. Mary Cole, Mrs. Mary Tyler, Mrs. Stella Tyler, Mrs. Louise Loring, Mrs. Lillian Moulton, Mrs. Rose Taylor and Mrs. Bertha Tyler.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. #44—WEEK OF DEC. 1

Monday: Tomato soup, crackers and cheese, cabbage-pineapple salad, pears, tuna salad sandwich, milk.

Tuesday: Oven fried chicken, mashed potato, carrots, gingerbread, home made bread and butter, milk.

Wednesday: Hot dog in a home made bun, French fries, peas, apricots, milk.

Thursday: Fish in batter, mashed potatoes, tomatoes, applesauce, hot roll and butter, milk.

Friday: American chop suey, green beans, raisin bar, bread and peanut butter, milk.

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WATCH FOR IN-STORE SUNDAY SPECIALS

MR. AND MRS. CUMMINGS HONORED ON 60th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings were honored at their 60th wedding anniversary party Saturday night, Nov. 22, at the American Legion Hall in Locke Mills.

They were married in the West Paris Universalist Church on Nov. 25, 1920, by Rev. Howard Markley. The best man was Ellis Davis (deceased) and the bridesmaid was Beatrice Smith. Sennett, who was unable to be present. The organist was Mrs. Leah Rubinoff. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Perham served them their wedding breakfast and gave them cider and doughnuts.



Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings

The couple have lived in California, Connecticut and in Florida several winters. Their only daughter, Cathryn Lovejoy, was born in Long Beach, Calif., during the great depression. She gave the couple three grandchildren, and they have, in turn, given them four great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy and the family, assisted by the church, the neighbors, and their American Legion family, gave their parents an evening of joy and

fun for the approximate 150 that were able to attend.

Mr. Cummings, a veteran of two wars and a 61 year Legionnaire has had many jobs. He worked in Connecticut nine years for Pratt-Whitney Aircraft, he ran his own garage in West Paris 15 years, he was fire chief, constable, dogcatcher, etc. Mrs. Cummings, a Past State President, Legion Auxiliary, served in the Red Cross Motor Corps during World War II, among other things.

Past Dept. Commander John E. Howe of Ellsworth was master of ceremonies. The American flag was presented by Legionnaire Albert Juddkins of West Paris, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and the Prayer by State Chaplain Jeri Brooks, Bethel. "God Bless America" was sung by the Pleasant Valley Bible Church choir with all present joining in.

Cathryn Lovejoy assisted the MC in reading the special messages from the dignitaries, including Sec. of State Edmund Muskie, Sen. Bill Cohen, Rep. Olympia Snowe, Jim Day, Maritime Commission. Jim Boyle, a founder of the American Legion and the Legion State Adjutant Dan Lambert, and a cablegram from a friend in Perth, West Australia, was also read.

President Jimmy Carter's congratulations from the White House arrived on Monday.

State Commander William "Chick" Ciciotte of Topsham and State Representative Phyllis Erwin of Rumford introduced the Legion and Auxiliary officers and the family members were called on to stand and be recognized.

Jackson-Silver Post Commander and President Eldon and Carmen Bartlett presented the honored couple with The Living Bible, large print edition, inscribed with their names, in appreciation of "your devoted service and friendship."

The church trio, Linda Stowell, Martha (Stowell) McLean and Becky Stowell sang "Except a Man Be Born Again" and "Free."

Ellen Lovejoy sang "Climb Every Mountain", accompanied by her sister, Dorothy West, on the organ.

The great grandchildren, Christopher and Rebecca West, rushed to the stage, and sang "Jingle Bells".

The wedding cake was made by granddaughter Dorothy West and cut and served by Mrs. Lucille Cummings, Portland. Tending the punch bowl was Mrs. Cummings' sister, Myrtle Downing, and another sister, Elizabeth Strother, was

at the gift table with her helper, Ellen Strother. Serving coffee was Grace Smith and assisting with the food were Tyrene Lovejoy and Muriel Whitney.

In charge of the guest book were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross. On the welcoming committee were Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dunham and Commander and President Bartlett.

West Paris Grange, that the Cummings have belonged to for many years, gave the floral centerpiece.

The memory table held many photos and artifacts that proved interesting to all. The 1915 Woodstock Centennial banner was given to the Historical Society in Bryant Pond.

Among the guests were Howard Eisman, Dept. Service Officer, and Mrs. Eisman, of Togus; Dr. and Mrs. Rex Martin, Harrison; P.D.C. and Mrs. Don Stone of Scarborough. Guests came from Dayton, Fla.; Mystic, Conn.; South Lancaster, Mass.; Berlin, N. H., and many surrounding towns.

The entire family made up the receiving line.

The happy music was made with Cleve Lovejoy at the organ; Basil Green, drums; Sterling Mills, trumpet; John Howe, saxophone; Byron Inman, bass viol, and Ellen Lovejoy, trombone.

An original poem was written by Mrs. Olive Davis for the couple. Her husband was the best man for Mr. Cummings.

U.M.W. TO MEET AT ETHEL WARD'S, DEC. 4

United Methodist Women will celebrate Christmas at their meeting on Thursday, Dec. 4, at the home of Ethel Ward. They have planned a pot luck luncheon at noon followed by an exchange of gifts and a Christmas program.

UMO VOLUNTEER FIRE SERVICES ANSWERS 150 CALLS PER YEAR

The University of Maine at Orono's volunteer fire services team averages about 150 calls per year and of these, 50 are calls which require action to quell a fire or other hazard. However, fire prevention is the principal activity of this group which includes six students and 11 university employees.

Student volunteers are particularly effective in their assistance with equipment maintenance. Student volunteers must have previous training in fire fighting and preferably experience working in a fire department.

STATE POLICE SUGGEST DUSK AND DARKNESS CAUTION

The State Police offer suggestions to help citizens to protect themselves during the hours of dusk and darkness.

"As the days shorten, motorists and pedestrians should be aware of what they can do to save themselves and possibly others from death or injury on Maine roads," said Col. Allan H. Weeks, Chief of the Maine State Police.

Col. Weeks advised motorists to "take it easy—don't speed through twilight—and stay alert".

He said a motorist should turn on the low beam headlights at the first hint of dusk to help a driver ahead to see their oncoming vehicle.

Also, a clean windshield (outside and inside) is always advisable, but especially at dusk.

The state police chief cautioned pedestrians to "always walk on the sidewalk if there is one; if there isn't then walk on the left shoulder of the roadway facing traffic".

Pedestrians are urged also to wear light, bright colored or reflectorized clothing, and to carry a light.

When crossing streets or highways where there are no intersections or traffic signals, pedestrians should be especially careful about estimating the speed of oncoming vehicles.

SENATOR WILLIAM COHEN From Washington

Recent investigations by the Governmental Affairs Committee, on which I serve, have revealed that the federal government is something of an "easy touch" when it comes to loaning money.

The Office of Management and Budget has estimated that outstanding federal loans, delinquent taxes, overpayments to Social Security recipients, and other grant payments add up to a staggering \$175 billion which is owed to Uncle Sam. What is more, Uncle Sam has not really tried to collect much of it.

About \$150 billion of the total is in long-term loans, many of which are being honored. But the OMB reports that \$47 billion of the outstanding loans, which came due Sept. 30, experienced a 50% delinquency rate. The federal government either could not or would not collect \$25 billion.

The magnitude of the federal government's debt collection problem is alarming. The figures cited by the OMB indicate that immediate and effective measures must be taken to strengthen the government's ability to collect delinquent debts.

Apparently, collection efforts are given a low priority throughout the federal bureaucracy. Staffs responsible for overseeing repayments have been reduced to the minimum. Record keeping is poor or non-existent.

It is much easier, obviously, to dispense money than it is to ensure that the government is repaid. Individual agencies must be made more accountable for their loan programs, and staffs must become more aggressive in seeking repayment.

I view this record as another symptom of poor management in government. Programs designed to

CHURCH NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Millett Cummings, Pastor
Tel. 824-2010 or 743-2213
Organist, Mrs. Susan Glines
Administrative Board Chairman, Richard L. Davis
Sunday School Superintendent, Mrs. Shirley Powell

Sunday:
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.
Tuesday: 9:30 a. m. Bible Study at the church.
Thursday: 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal at the parsonage.
UMW—first Thursday of each month.

Anyone needing prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Randal Stevens.

West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel
Rev. Norman F. Rust
Interim Pastor
Miss Mary Valentine, Minister of Music

Sunday:
Church School (K-Grade 5), 9:15-10:15.
Worship Service, 10:30 a. m.
Wednesday: Youth Fellowship (Grades 6-12), 5:30 p. m. in the vestry.

Our Lady of the Snows
Rev. Donald R. Proulx
Saturday, 4:30, Antiphonal Mass.

Bethel Gospel Center of Christian & Missionary Alliance
D. N. Larson, Pastor
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m., three year olds through adults.

Babysitting for all children under five years during Church.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Evening Service, 6 p. m.
Monday: Youths, men and women, Bible Studies, 7 p. m.
Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9:30 a. m. — for location call: 824-2859, Babysitting.

Wednesday, 7 p. m.: Prayer and Bible Study.
Thursday, 6:30 p. m. Youth Bible Study at Bruce Swan's.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Church Street
Rev. Barry Beverage

Sunday:
Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.
Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p. m. Youth Meeting, 7 p. m.
For transportation or information to any service call 824-2872.

be run along strict business guidelines have been allowed to become charitable enterprises. The largest bank in the world cannot afford to carry unguaranteed amounts of uncollected debts, and neither can the federal government.

Some examples of loan programs suffering from a high default rate indicate the laxity with which the federal government treats debt collection.

Student loan programs, which have had a notorious record of defaults, currently carry \$2.2 billion in uncollected debts. But one investigation found a successful loan program for Cuban students that disintegrated when the collections staff was dismantled in 1976. At the time the pay back rate was exceptional, with less than \$1 million owed on the total of \$34 million loaned. Today, in the same program, more than \$20 million is delinquent.

One program at the Department of Housing and Urban Development allowed individuals who had already defaulted on a loan to receive another. In addition, HUD employed only 55 people to police 55,000 delinquent loan accounts.

As part of our efforts to reduce federal spending and to balance the budget, Congress has attempted to identify and to eliminate wasteful expenditures, and to determine those areas where spending can be reduced easily. It is also appropriate that we look at the high cost of government from a different angle, and take action to ensure that money which is owed to Uncle Sam is collected.

CREATIVE CRAFT FAIR AT UMO DEC. 6-7

The 11th Creative Craft Fair will be held at the University of Maine at Orono Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 6 and 7. The invitational fair will include the work of Maine craftsmen from all areas of the state as well as that of UMO classes. UMO students will also act as hosts and hostesses during the event which will run each day from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m. in the Memorial Union Building.

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BULLETIN FROM THE CATONS

A happy bulletin on Tom Caton and family. For while they miss their friends in Bethel, they are happy in their new home in Pocatello, Idaho.

Christine has all A's on the first ranking term and is the number one student in a class of 375. She is a sophomore.

Eva earned three A's and two B's and is doing beautiful work in her art class. Her art teacher is most impressed with her work. Eva is in the 7th grade.

This speaks well for their previous education in S. A. D. 44.

Bethel certainly congratulates the girls and sends the Catons best holiday wishes.

West Bethel Union Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Cathy Littlefield, Organist
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9-9:30.
Morning Worship, 9:45.
Ladies Chapel Aid meets the second Wednesday of each month.
Youth Fellowship, Grades 5-12, Thursday, 5:30 p. m. Church Vestry.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Harriet Stowell, Organist
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m. Children's classes at Richard Walker's; Adult class at Dennis Kantens'.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.
Tuesday: Bible Study, 7 p. m., at Kantens'.

Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. David Wuori
Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist
Church Services, 9:00 a. m.
Ladies Circle meets every third Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.
Bible Study, Thursday nights at 8 p. m. Everyone welcome.

Bryant Pond Unitarian-Universalist Church
Rev. Herbert Weeks
Sunday: 9 a. m. Worship Service.
10:30 a. m. Sunday School.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
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8273.
Newry, Maine
Rodney Hanscom, Pastor
Robert Duran, Organist
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Worship Leader
Arthur C. Myhrall
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Rev. Leon R. Strout,
Interim Pastor

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One 3/4 metal brown bed; one full size green wooden bed; Sears stereo with record player, used very little; one small metal camp cot; chrome kitchen table, 6 chairs, Ernest Perkins, 824-2767.

SUPER stuff, sure nuff! That's Blue Luster for cleaning rugs and upholstery. Rent electric shampooers, \$1 and \$2 machines. Brooks Bros., Inc. 824-2158.

1970 Skidoo Olympic, \$250; 2 winter steel, studded, radials, 165-15, used, \$18.00. Call after 6 p. m., 824-2623.

RICOH 35 mm SLR Camera, body only, \$75; Hand crank ice cream freezer, \$10; 5 1/2 x 7 1/2 wool hooked rug, \$20; Fold up top desk w/3 drawers, \$50; Queen Atlantic wood/gas comb. cook stove; 1/2 or whole pig. Call 824-2590, 48-49.

Turkish Oriental Rug — Size 10'x6'11". To see, call 824-3344.

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HOME MADE BREAD — Whole grain bread made fresh daily. Please phone. Carole Corliss, SPROUTS and BREADS, at 824-3320 to place your order. Also on sale at Edelweiss. 47-49

Cleaned whole and ground oats and corn for sale. Oats \$7.50 for 90 lbs. whole, ground \$7.75 for 90 lb. bag. Corn \$10.25 for 100 lbs. whole, \$10.75 for ground. 15c credit on all good grain bags. Open Saturdays and other days by appointment. Winthrop, Dave or Jennifer McCullough, 377-6652, Rumford, for quantities. 47-50

WREATHS FOR SALE — Plain, \$2; decorated, \$3. Hope Tibbets, Park Street, Bethel, 824-2143.

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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

Tri-Town Ambulance and Emergency Rescue Service, Inc., would like to thank all those who contributed to the success of their bake sale. We were overwhelmed with the display of community support from the townspeople of Woodstock, Greenwood and West Paris. Contributions from the local businesses of Cooper Farms, Trap Corner Superette, West Paris General Store and North Paris Store are greatly appreciated.

We would like to extend a special thank you to Larry and Elaine Wilday and Ledgewood Nursing Home for the use of the facility for both the volunteer round up and bake sale.

Dotty Blackadar, Chairman
Fund Raising Committee

This is specifically written to the residents of Woodstock, Greenwood, and West Paris. This week we have a chance to say what kind of ambulance service we want in our towns. It is a rare opportunity that the three towns get together on a joint project. It is also a time to express our willingness to support a volunteer service.

In order to make the ambulance service work we need your help: (1) we need the volunteers to staff the ambulance and get trained but we also need; (2) those committed individuals willing to donate money and time to help raise money, and (3) we need the cooperation of the townspeople in using the service. In order to get set up by April 1, and we will be in operation by then, we need you all.

Please vote at your special town meetings on Dec. 1 (Woodstock), Dec. 2 (West Paris), and Dec. 3 (Greenwood), and support us with our fund raising efforts so we don't have to charge individuals who need our service.

Jane Chandler
Board of Directors
Tri-Town Ambulance and Emergency Rescue Service

From a very disturbed, angry, embarrassed, insulted, disgusted, father and daughter:

On Saturday, Nov. 15, I, the father, got up at 3:00 a. m. to go on a hunting trip. I returned home to find my daughter feeling down because there was a Telstar dance sponsored by the Lions Club, but her boyfriend couldn't go.

My girl friend convinced me to go all together and have a good time. I was really tired from hunting all day and said the dance was for high schoolers. They argued that last year other parents were there and sometimes parents attend school functions such as this. They even showed me the Bethel Citizen which stated "High School students and their guests invited by Bethel Lions Club."

I got cleaned up and we got there late about 9:15 p. m. When ready to pay, the person taking the money refused to let my girl friend and me in. Several times he stated "it is not for you". I spoke of the article that said for high school students and their guests, but he insisted this dance was not for us.

Later when picking up my daughter she said there was a parent dancing which really made me angry.

I called Mr. Gersen and told him of this situation. He said they welcome parents to all activities and he could not understand the way they refused me. I told him I expected an apology to me and my daughter in the Bethel Citizen from the Lions Club.

Pride must have overcome them because the apology was not there. I still expect to see that apology in the Citizen.

Harry Kimball



BERMUDA STROLLERS TO APPEAR AT GOULD

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 3, Gould Academy will present a benefit performance of "The Bermuda Strollers" in concert at 8 o'clock in the school's Bingham Hall Auditorium.

BULLETIN FROM THE CATONS

A happy bulletin on Tom Caton and family. For while they miss their friends in Bethel, they are happy in their new home in Pocatello, Idaho.

Christina has all A's on the first ranking term and is the number one student in a class of 375. She is a sophomore.

Eva earned three A's and two B's and is doing beautiful work in her art class. Her art teacher is most impressed with her work. Eva is in the 7th grade.

This speaks well for their previous education in S. A. D. 44.

Bethel certainly congratulates the girls and sends the Catons best holiday wishes.

West Bethel Union Church
Rev. Norman Rust, Minister
Cathy Littlefield, Organist

Sunday School, 9:30-10:30
Morning Worship, 9:45

Ladies Chapel Aid meets the second Wednesday of each month.

Youth Fellowship, Grades 5-12, Thursday, 5:30 p. m. Church Vestibule.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor
Harriet Stowell, Organist

Sunday School, 9 a. m. Children's classes at Richard Walker's; Adult class at Dennis Kaz.

Morning Worship, 10 a. m. Tuesday: Bible Study, 7 p. m., at Kanten's.

Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. David Wuerst, Minister
Church Services, 9:00 a. m.

Ladies Circle meets every third Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.

Bible Study, Thursday nights at 8 p. m. Everyone welcome.

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TELSTAR REBELETES

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This year's team has good experience with seven returning letter winners and together with Coach Buckland they have set the tournament as their goal. Pre-season scrimmages with Mexico and Dirigo proved rewarding making that goal within reach.

Those participating at the varsity level for the 1980-81 season are: *denotes returning letter winner.

* Marlene Bean, Sr.; * Suzanne Billings, Sr.; Karen Brooks, Sr.; Lynda Duguay, Sr.; * Mindy Merrill, Sr.; *Berta Smith, Sr.; Tammy Fleet, Jr.; Suzanne Kimball, Jr.; * Cindy Fiske, Soph.; Becky Roberts, Soph.; Lisa Westleigh, Soph.; Deanne Bodemer, Fresh.; Chris Davis, Fresh.; Managgers, Becky Davis, Stephanie Merrill, and Karen Kakala.

(The Telstar sports schedules appeared in the Nov. 13 issue of The Citizen.)

Junior Varsity
The Telstar Rebelettes J.V. basketball team is 14 members strong.

FOR SALE
1969 Chrysler convertible, as is, priced to sell. 2 coal furnaces, converted to wood, hot air registers, etc. Large assortment of steel roofing; compartment box trailer; steam cleaner; plus other items. Call 824-2166, G. A. Nickerson.

Husqvarna and Jonsered Chain Saws, Sales and Service. We stock saw chain for most brands of saws. Lowell's Saw Shop, Bethel, Me. Tel. 824-2311.

ATTENTION MOBILE HOME OWNERS: Act now before Winter! End leaks, heat loss, and shoveling heavy snow forever with our maintenance free Pitched-A-Roof. Also add that needed porch, bedroom, or utility room with a custom prefabricated Add-A-Room, built in Maine for our weather. Installed and guaranteed anywhere. Financing available. For prices, sizes and color catalog call 622-1000 or TOLL FREE 1-800-452-1940 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. or write Maine-Wide Factory, P. O. Box 2106, Augusta, Maine 04330.

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KNAPP AEROTRED SHOES—Men's and Ladies'—Call Charlie Farrar, 824-2030.

MOPEDS, new and used. Charlie Farrar, 824-2030.

FOR RENT
LEGION HALL, Vernon Street, available for rental for receptions, wedding parties, anniversaries, etc. 5100w

OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT—Main Street. Contact Lillian Lowell, Bethel Savings Bank, 824-2117, between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m., Monday through Friday.

FOR RENT—Ranch home on Twitchell Pond, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, 2725, 824-3388.

FOR RENT in Bethel Village a first floor apartment, 2 or 3 bedrooms, stove, and refrigerator included. \$200.00 security deposit and references required. \$185.00 monthly rent in advance. Call 824-2478.

FOR RENT—Apt., furnished, intown Bethel, available for 2 weeks at Christmas, Dec. 20-Jan. 6, sleeps 4, garage and space for skis. Call 824-2465.

Attention Skiers—For Rent—probably starting in Jan. or Feb. two houses both less than two years old. Neil D. Olson, East Bethel, Me., 875-5765.

HOUSE FOR RENT, 3-4 bed- rooms. Call 824-3344.

Bethel Village—downstairs apartment, 5 rooms, stove, refrigerator. Security deposit and references required. Inquire Strout Realty, Andover 392-1191.

REAL ESTATE
For Sale by owner, Broad Street Greek Revival, 4 bedrooms, bath and living room upstairs. Study, dining room, living room and modern kitchen with fireplace. Family room with wood burning area. Full insulated. Price, \$63,500. Please call after 1 p. m. at 824-2045.

ROUND POND—Greenwood. Two bedroom, living room, kitchenette, porch, electric heat, fireplace, full bath. Garage, office, woodshed, bathhouse. Year-round living on the lake and near ski slopes. \$57,400. Milton Mills Realty, Bryant Pond, Tel. 87.

Unique, renovated Bethel home, 8 rms., 1 1/2 baths, pine paneled kitchen, 2 fireplaces, attached 3-story barn, 1 1/2 acres close to center of Bethel appraised in the low \$60,000. Call 824-3344.

LAND FOR SALE—In town, approximately 2 acres, end of dead end street. Call 824-3344.

Publisher's Notice
All real estate advertised in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968 which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation, or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, or national origin, or an intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination."

This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertisement for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis.

this year and looking forward to a good season. The J.V.s are concentrating on playing tough defense this year and hope to cause numerous turnovers by the opposition.

Members of the J. V. squad are: Samantha Merrill, Vanessa Noyes, Lauren Benson, Terry Clukey, Sandy Kimball, Sheila Thurston, Chris Mills, Penny Fleet, Debbie Wright, Georgia Gould, Valerie Cole, Jeri Martin, Marie Myers, Sally Thompson.

SNOWE INTRODUCES BILL CALLING FOR NATIONAL EXPLORATION CONFERENCE

U. S. Rep. Olympia J. Snowe (R-Maine) has introduced a bill calling for a national conference to explore the burgeoning federal system of government.

"At present, responsibility for governance is fragmented among the many governments in our system," Rep. Snowe told her colleagues in a speech on the House floor. Citing the existence of some 80,000 governmental units from the federal government down to the local level, she said the system "is inefficient, unaccountable and a poor means of delivering public services. If you doubt this, try to find where the buck stops at any level of this maze. I wish you luck."

Making up the various levels of government, she said, are 41,000 cities and counties; 1,600 school districts; 23,000 special districts; and 1,800 regional governments and organizations. "At one time in our history, the roles and responsibilities of these governments were neatly defined," she said. "But today, we face a confusing overlap of governmental roles."

Rep. Snowe supported her call for a national conference by pointing out the 141 new federal agencies created between 1961 and 1973; the growth of federal assistance programs from 132 in 1960 to 500 today; and the existence of 15 federal grant programs today with price tags over \$1 billion, compared with two in 1970.

"As the programs grow, the payroll grows," she said. Federal employment grew from 2.1 million to 2.8 million between 1950 and 1976, a jump of about 25%. State and local employment in the same period rose from 4.3 million to 12 million.

"It is time for a thorough reassessment of the status of American federalism," she concluded. "It would look seriously at ways to reassign responsibilities clearly and openly so that governments at all levels are, once again, made fully accountable to their citizens."

Sen. William Roth (R-Dele.) has introduced similar legislation in the Senate.

HELP WANTED
Two person skidder crew with saws. J. T. Yates Logging Inc. 824-3291.

SALES HELP WANTED
TEXAS REFINERY CORP. offers PLENTY OF MONEY plus cash bonuses, fringe benefits to mature individual in Bethel area. Regardless of experience, write A. N. Sears, Pres., Texas Refinery Corp., Box 711, Fort Worth, Texas 76101.

WANTED—Used table saw in decent condition and reasonably priced. Call Rick at 824-2856 after Dec. 1.

WANTED—to save you money on your home, auto and life insurance. Bring in your policies and compare our low rate. Kendall Ins. Inc., Bethel, 824-2178.

WANTED—Papering, interior painting and carpet shampooing jobs. \$5 per hour. Call Diane Cross at 824-2853.

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MONEY FOR BAHC—Telstar's sophomore class Co-Presidents Cindy Fiske and Ron Savage presented \$250 to the Bethel Area Health Center last Friday. Mrs. Powell (left) felt the funds would be used for an emergency kit. The class of '83 raised the money by sponsoring a Bike-a-thon this past fall, and would like to thank everyone who assisted in the project.

TELSTAR'S WINTER SEASON TICKET POLICY

The Telstar Athletic Department has announced the following winter season ticket policy. Adult season tickets will cost \$7.50 and will be good for all boys' and girls' varsity and j.v. games, or 14 different playing dates, except the Annual Christmas Tourney. This is a savings of \$10 over the regular season cost of \$1.25 per game. Student season tickets will cost \$5.50 for all playing dates except the Christmas Tourney and will be a \$5 saving over the regular season cost of 75 cents per game. The season ticket holders will be able to get reduced cost of admission for the Christmas Tourney at \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students.

THOROUGH INSPECTION IS VITAL SAY STATE POLICE

The state police advise motorists to make sure when they take their motor vehicle to be inspected that it is done thoroughly for their own safety.

"Motorists who by law are supposed to have their vehicles inspected by a State licensed motor vehicle inspection station should make sure that the items required by law to be inspected are indeed inspected," said Col. Allan H. Weeks, Chief of the Maine State Police.

State Police Traffic Safety officers are making a maximum effort in cooperation with licensed station owners and certified mechanics to make sure motor vehicles are inspected as required, Col. Weeks said.

"Owners of vehicles should realize that the three-dollar fee charged for the motor vehicle inspection does not cover the cost of any needed replacement materials or additional labor," said Col. Weeks.

The Maine motor vehicle inspection includes: brakes (including the emergency); steering mechanism and suspension system (including tires and wheels); exhaust system; lights (including head, tail, directional

Greenwood City — Northwest Bethel —

— Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

There was a rather brisk wind on the Sunday afternoon that Ruth and I started for a hike. We chose a road which we had traveled in the green spring, the day-long radiance of summer and the golden light of autumn.

Crossing the bridge over the first stream, winding toward the sea, the water seemed to have something far beyond a sharp reflection. Instead of just an inverted repetition of a pretty forest picture, there was depth, lacking in a direct view through the light-struck trees. It was a leaning loveliness. The rocks seemed fertile, strung with soggy green tendrils of moss.

At the top of the first hill on the left there has stood, forever it seems, with lonesome paths, a big pine and today was adding its protest to the moaning wind. Back of the lonely pine a house once stood. From here one can see down the valley. The cold winds carried across the ponds to mingle with the mountain tops; fragrant with twisted pine, fir, and spruce, which frame all the view to the distant horizon.

We kept moving to keep warm and always up. Across the open spaces from Overset Mountain the wind really hit us with its cold blast, a real feel of winter. Over-set itself held itself with majesty looking out over the pond and gave an impression of a sublime mood.

At this time the road curved left and we were back to the mountain.

Always there was soft green moss on the banks to drink in the wetness. The country was rough, wild, and rugged; yet nature had thrown over everything a mantle of beauty. From among the birches came cries and moans, as the wind swept through. As a sudden parting of rolling clouds let a flood of rich light strike, it brought out a gleam making the birches turn into a place of charm.

Just beyond the cemetery on the right we noticed a pile-up of trees which appeared to have been hit by a wind-twister of some force. They lay flat, uprooted and criss-crossed.

We met or were passed by several cars and two motorcycles. Perhaps they thought we were a little crazy to be walking back here on such a cold day.

Some distance beyond this we turned left into an open field, our purpose accomplished.

The view of the valley from where we came, could now be seen

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Municipal Officers of the Town of Bethel will meet at 7:00 P. M., Monday, Dec. 8, 1980 at the Bethel Savings Bank Meeting Room to hear comments and to act upon an application for a Special Amusement Permit for Gloria J. Lewis and Lauretta Varo d/b/a The Only Place located on Route 2, West Bethel, Maine. 48-49

NOTICE

Pursuant to Title 28 M.R.S.A. §252, notice is hereby given that application for a Restaurant License to sell spirits and Vinous Liquors and Malt Beverages has been submitted to the Bethel Municipal Officers for approval.

Application of Gloria J. Lewis and Lauretta Varo d/b/a The Only Place, Route 2 West in the Town of Bethel, County of Oxford and State of Maine has been taken under consideration by the Bethel Municipal Officers for approval. Any citizen of Bethel who desires to show cause why this application should or should not be approved may do so at a public hearing to be held for that purpose at 7:00 p. m., Monday, Dec. 8, 1980, at Bethel Savings Bank, Main Street, Town of Bethel, County of Oxford and State of Maine.

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Northwest Bethel —

— Clarice Gibson, Corres. —

A rainy Monday and so different than last Tuesday when we got a foot or more of snow. School was called off and as with every first snow storm a lot of skids and ditched cars. Saturday night was full moon and as always, beautiful. Sunday morning was once again treated to a beautiful sunrise. Sunday evening riding home from the folks in Norway the moon

very clearly and much beyond. There were the ponds streaked by clouds and light patterns of bewitching interest, masking the afternoon mood, serenity was spread across the elevated wonderland. But the winds sweeping down from surrounding mountains were making definite changes on the surface, tumbling the waters into waves.

Loose bark fluttered on the birch trees. The emerald needles of the conifers rustled and we faced into the wind but sheltered from the sides.

The sun sank lower behind the mountains and the restless wind whistled on.

At last we again crossed the bridge at the foot of the mountain. Deepening shadows cloaked in the pools.

One more hill to climb and we'd be at the car. It was a four mile hike but we had been on some we had enjoyed more and I certainly had been out on much colder days. We had underestimated the wind chill and our hands needed better protection.

The next day all was white with snow.

Frank and Dorothy Curtis had the following callers this week: Walter Curtis, Farmington; Fred Curtis, East Sumner; Phil and Dot Bentley, Lewiston; Maybel Oldham, Welchville; Mildred Bowman, Hebron; Kathy and Eva Curtis, Ann Swan, Local.

Leonas, Fay, Ann Holt, and I went to Windsor where Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holt and boys joined us for a trip to Dexter to call on David Holt.

Terry Spires went to his home in Indiana over the week end and will spend the holiday there with his family.

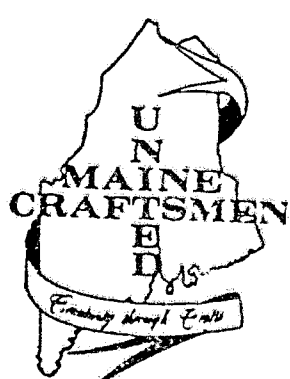
On Saturday, Glenn and Kerry Hayes, Gray; Ardell Hayes, Auburn; Scot and Wallace Hayes, West Paris, were at the Hayes Homestead.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Curtis, Ralph and Reggie Leeper, Joe and Anne Salisbury of North Kingstown, R. I., attended the benefit supper for the Timm family on Sunday at Locke Mills.

Our callers were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mundt, Bethel, and grandson, Herbie Coolidge; Mr. and Mrs. Montie Millett, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Avery of Pittsfield, N. H. Club Eight met with Fay Holt on Wednesday. The hostess prize was won by Anna Jarvenpaa.

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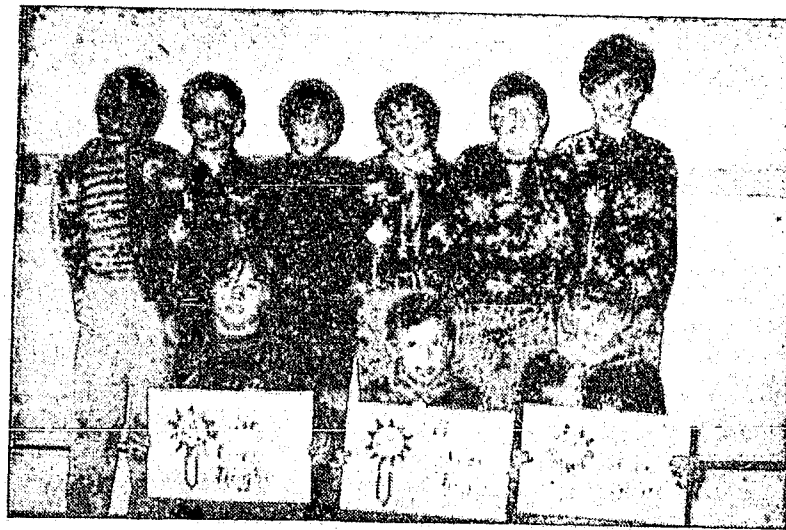
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LOCKE MILLS CUB SCOUTS
AT PACK MEETING — The Cub Scouts in Pack 540, Locke Mills, held their Pack Meeting Wednesday evening, Nov. 19, at the Legion

hall in Locke Mills. The scouts made games to play and share with others. Aaron Crockett had the largest total points accumulated from the games. Todd Swan had second and George Hayes had third. A picture of each winner was taken by Richard Roy and made into a button to be worn on the shirt. Prizes were awarded to Suzi Roy, Michelle Crockett and Jason Crockett for most accumulated points in the non-scout group.

The Scouts in the picture, left to right: First row—Aaron Crockett, Todd Swan, George Hayes, Second row—David Brown, Travis Buck, Ben Bolen, Kyle Curtis, Michael Crockett, Ricky Roy.

Thanksgiving
—Agnes M. Sloane

Have I remembered lately, God, to thank Thee
For sunrise with its ever-changing rays;
For birds' full-throated and triumphant nations,
As for their being. Thee they daily praise?

Have I remembered lately, God, to thank Thee
For sunlight on the distant mountain peak;
For purple shadows on the far horizon
Which souls of all mankind forever seek?

Have I remembered lately, God, to thank Thee
For rain which falls so gently on the ground
That thirsty trees and shrubs may drink Thy bounty
And green of spring another year be found?

Have I remembered lately, God, to thank Thee
For quiet lakes agleam with jeweled light;
For silver silence of a frosty evening;
For golden glamour of a summer night?

Have I remembered lately, God, to thank Thee
That velvet darkness each day falls again
To rest our eyes and ears and weary bodies
And blot out for a while remembered pain?

If I've forgotten, God, today I thank Thee
That in this land of ours the flag waves free
And we, Thy subjects, underneath that banner
Are free, in our way, to worship Thee!

For each manifestation of Thy being;
For greatness found within the hearts of men;
For friendship, loyalty and understanding;
For faith that leads the hopeless on again;

For golden yesterdays, untold tomorrows;
For life, for hope, for laughter, light and gay;
For those I love, for those in turn who love me,
I thank Thee, God, on this Thanksgiving Day.

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So many times I've cried
I stars were made from
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By adding tear drops too
I'd build a stairway to Heaven
And climb each day to you
May you always walk in sunshine
And God's love around you flow
For the happiness you gave me
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Sadly missed and
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Granddaughter, Sheri

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East Bethel

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Howe and Stanley Howe of Bethel visited the Maine Museum in Augusta Sunday.

Expected guests at the Haines Homestead will be Jeff Nevens of Brownfield; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines and children, Chuck, Scott and Bernard.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge will entertain for Thanksgiving Mr. and Mrs. Earl Coolidge and Denise; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mason and Monica; Mr. and Mrs. Erlon Bean and daughters, Pam and Penny; Mr. and Mrs. John Coolidge and children, Betty Ann, Tina and Jason; and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Coolidge and daughters, Sarah and Jessica, of Northwest Bethel.

Erlon Bean shot a spikehorn buck Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings expect to go to Mr. and Mrs. Al Bancroft's on Paris Hill for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Charles Frazer and children

my Young; reporter, Karen Ruokola; flag holders, Ricky Chase and Sammy Young. Club members made Christmas trees out of Readers Digests.

Mrs. Reynold Chase, Mrs. Audrey Hadley, Miss Carmen Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Rick Chase, Ricky and Chad, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Chase will dine with Mr. and Mrs. Nestor Ruokola and girls on the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Cram, Mrs. Lyndell Farr, Mrs. Arlene Farr, Mrs. DeDe Chase went to North Conway, N. H., shopping at the new mall on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Small and Kelley, formerly of West Paris, will fly to Italy, then on to Jerusalem for a two week tour on Thanksgiving Day.

tal, Locke Mills; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevens, Keith, and Jennifer, Bethel and Mindy Merrill, Bethel.

Star Birthday Club will hold their meeting Dec. 2 at the home of Gertrude Gaugler, South Paris.

Woodstock Senior Citizens will meet at the Town Hall on Thursday, Dec. 4. Each member is to bring a gift plainly marked for a man or a woman for the Christmas tree. Following dinner which will be served by the Alumni, there will be an exchange of gifts and a social afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Hicks were in Norway Thursday.

Howard Crockett was a luncheon guest Wednesday of Mrs. David Foster and Albert Foster.

Mrs. Richard Stearns took Mrs. Foster and Albert Foster to Rumford Thursday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster and Dick Plantier of Andover called on Mrs. David Foster Friday.

Miss Jacqueline Crockett was a luncheon guest of Mrs. Foster Saturday. She also visited her father, J. Lawrence Crockett.

Kenneth Crockett and daughter, Stephanie, visited Albert Foster, Sunday.

Mrs. Andre Bernier and Mrs. Chester Kimball were in Gorham, N. H., Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Smith of Bethel, visited Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kimball Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Kimball will have Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kimball.

WALKING WITH JESUS CHRIST

In these United States, Thanksgiving is celebrated by most people—for some it will have a special meaning for others it may well be one holiday followed by another with times in between marked by a sense of loneliness and perhaps frustration.

Thanksgiving to a Christian, one that loves and is loved, is but one day among all days for giving thanks to a bountiful Lord.

The Pilgrims, at their first Thanksgiving shared of their harvest with the Indians many of whom thankfully received the Gospel of Jesus Christ and turned to their true and living God.

Being a "healthy" Christian today carries the same burden—that of telling others of Christ's atoning love. There are those outside of Christ that watch us—perhaps as in a restaurant when we bow our heads in prayer asking God's blessing on the food and our conversation. We are a different people, to be sure, and there's always the one that God has chosen to be witnessed to—and what will be our astonishment when we meet at His judgement seat—standing with us, the very one to whom we spoke a kind word!

Let us put aside our "saintly" attitudes and reach the afflicted—we're a heaven bound multitude and should not leave behind an empty trail, void of Christian endeavor—for what shall we say when with empty hands we stand before our king? Will it be—"And why call ye me, Lord, Lord and do not the things which I say?"—Luke 7:46 (that follows the Beatitudes).

"Thanks be to God through Jesus Christ our Lord "for it is not I—but Christ liveth in me".

"What shall we then say to these things? If God be for us who can be against us". Romans 8:31.

Fred Werner
Bethel Gospel Center
Christian Missionary Alliance

North Paris

— Eveline Barrett, Corres. —

Our first snow storm Nov. 18-19 sneaked in a good 10 or more inches of snow, and the ski slopes should have a rushing business while it lasts. Schools were closed and everything was slowed down.

Eveline Barrett went to Dr. Martin's, Harrison, and many cars, trucks, and even one snowplow, was in the ditch.

Several from here attended the supper sponsored by the West Paris Athletic Association at the Legion Hall, Nov. 14, also the meeting of the West Paris Historical Society on Nov. 19 at the old fire hall. Eveline Barrett gave one of her books, "Old Days on the Farm" to the Society. The late Leroy Coffin, Doris (Coffin) Lawrence and James Coffin also gave

Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

There will be no Youth Group or Adult Bible Study this Thursday evening. Both groups will resume next week, Thursday, Dec. 4, at 7 p. m. and 8 p. m. respectively.

Reminder: The Greenwood Fire Department Auxiliary is sponsoring a Christmas Crafts fair this Saturday, Nov. 29, from 10 a. m. - 4 p. m. at the Town Hall. If you are looking for a good place to shop for Christmas try this fair. The Auxiliary will have a food table and a miscellaneous craft table and there will be tables of wreaths and other wares suitable for Christmas giving.

There will be a Ladies Auxiliary meeting of the Greenwood Fire Dept. on Monday, Dec. 1, at 6:30 p. m. at the Fire Station. The Greenwood Fire Dept. will be holding its regular meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 2.

The Greenwood Historical Society will hold its regular meeting, Wednesday, Dec. 3, at the town hall. There will be a pot luck supper starting at 6 p. m. Those attending are asked to bring a dish for the supper and their own dishes and eating utensils and a Christmas-wrapped article for a silent auction.

Mrs. Lillian Lapham received word from her cousin, Mrs. Helen Bacon, that Mrs. Bacon's sister, Miss Mildred Wentworth, passed away on Monday, Nov. 24, at a nursing home in Massachusetts. Although Miss Wentworth lived in Portland, she was a frequent visitor in this area.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder and children, Ried and Amber, Hiram, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville, Saturday, and on Sunday their daughter, Amber Rae

"ALL THE KING'S HORSES" TO BE SHOWN AT GOSPEL CENTER SUNDAY EVENING, NOV. 30

The public is cordially invited to see "All the King's Horses", Sunday evening, Nov. 30, at 6 o'clock, at the Bethel Gospel Center on Route 26, Bethel.

"All the King's Horses" is the true story of a marriage that, like Humpty Dumpty, "has a great fall". Sandy tells their story in the film.

"After a couple of years of rather rocky dating, Jack and I married. Two boys were born to us and life was pretty good, but gradually we became just two people sharing the same house. Jack had accepted the Lord and given up motorcycle racing to please me before our marriage, but I began to suspect that he had just gone through the motions.

"Arguments turned into fights, and once when I had run home to Mom with a black eye, Jack's old love of motorcycles was rekindled by going to a hill climb with a friend. He began to spend most of his time with the motorcycles until I was convinced he didn't care for his family anymore. I thought that Jack had turned so far away that I couldn't live a Christian life around him. I wanted a divorce!

"Several near tragic events added to our unhappiness. When at last I realized God's will, I discovered it took more than 'All the King's Horses' and all the King's men' to put our marriage back together again."

FROM THE TOWN OFFICE

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safety that will be developed by the team.

The Board approved a victualer's license for Susanne Burris d.b.a. Calico Corner Coffee Shop in West Bethel.

Robert Davis, Fire Chief, and John Greenleaf, Ambulance Service Manager, met with the Board to review space for the ambulance service. Mr. Davis, representing the members of the Fire Department, indicated that the Department felt that another vehicle housed in the Fire Station would crowd it and make it difficult for the Fire Department to operate effectively. After extensive discussion of alternatives, the Selectmen directed the Town Manager and Ambulance Service Manager to investigate possible storage space for the back-up ambulance for an interim term.

The Town Manager reviewed with the Board the provision of ambulance service to other towns and recommended fees for 1981. The Manager was directed to notify the other towns of the 1981 costs and to develop detailed costs of ambulance operations for review by the Board in six months. The Board will review this information and determine if there should be any change in the fee structure for 1982.

In other action the Selectmen voted to support study of the Androscoggin River Basin by the New England River Basin Commission prior to any hydro-power development on the river.

The Selectmen directed the Man-

was baptized at the Locke Mills Union Church. John Snyder's parents and sister from Massachusetts were also in attendance.

Mrs. John Mills and Mrs. Chatty Beverage attended a products party, Monday evening, at the home of Mrs. Esther Sweetser, and hosted by Mrs. Roberta Morin. Mrs. Alice Hoyt was the demonstrator. John Mills spent the evening visiting his sister, Mrs. Earl Colby, and family at West Greenwood.

Mrs. Bertha Flanders will be a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morse on Thanksgiving Day.

Expected Thanksgiving Day guests of Mrs. Lillian Lapham are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Swan and Alan and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross.

Ralph Mills, Colchester, Vt., is expected home for the Thanksgiving Day holidays. His sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith of Dryden, will be going to his sister's, Mrs. Bruce Washburn, in Monmouth on Thanksgiving. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Clair Smith from Houlton are also expected to be there.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lurvey, Gorham, and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey will be Thanksgiving Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville.

The town offers congratulations and best wishes to Barbara Harthorne and Fred Johnson who were married Saturday. Their reception at the Town Hall was well attended by well wishers.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross attended the 60th wedding anniversary of Alanson and Fannie Cummings at the Legion Hall, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Humphrey, Daneau, Michael Scott, and Richard of Portland, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey.



Miss Mindy Merrill

MERRILL - CHASE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Merrill of Bethel, are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Mindy Merrill, to Private Richard Chase, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Chase of Locke Mills.

No date has been set for the wedding.

CUB SCOUT CAN AND BOTTLE DRIVE

The Bethel Cub Scouts will be conducting a can and bottle drive on Saturday, Dec. 6, from 9 a. m. to noon. Anyone outside of Bethel Village with cans or bottles to donate, please call 824-2269 or 824-2945 for pickup.

This is the Scouts' prime source of raising funds. Please given them your support.

ager to write the M.D.O.T. to express concern about the layout of the Mill Hill, Route 5. Lover's Lane, Grover Hill Road intersection and to write the County Commissioners to express concern that county-wide human service programs were not included in their proposed 1981 budget.

The Selectmen voted to have the Town Manager use his discretion in disposing of firewood acquired from the Airport project last spring. Persons interested should contact the Town Office. A letter was received from the Methodist Church thanking the town for the good job in constructing the sidewalk in front of the church.

The 1980 State Valuation Return was signed as was a Quit Claim Deed for the Bethel Water District and the Board reviewed the proposed highway easement on the Gibson Road.

A short executive session was held at the end of the meeting to discuss 1981 employee salary negotiations.

The next meeting of the Selectmen will be Monday evening, Dec. 8.

Hunting and fishing licenses for 1981 are now available. There has been a 50 cent cost of all licenses.

BORN

In Norway, Nov. 17, to Joanne and Raymond Clemons of Locke Mills, a daughter, Keana Elizabeth.

THANKSGIVING MORNING SERVICE AT FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST, BERLIN

Thanksgiving services will be held Thursday, Nov. 27, at 11 a. m. at First Church of Christ, Scientist, corner of Main and Tenth Streets, Berlin, N. H.

The scripture selected for the occasion points to Christ Jesus' example of gratitude as something deeply felt and lived day by day in healing, regeneration and brotherhood.

Related passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy, the denominational textbook, will be read by Irma Thompson and include the statement: "Gratitude is much more than a verbal expression of thanks. Action expresses more gratitude than speech." Familiar passages from Psalms will be read by Cynthia Dennebaum and the president's Thanksgiving Proclamation will also be included. All are welcome to attend.

In and About Bethel

Virginia Walker, Corres.

Mrs. Grace Merrill is a patient at the Central Maine Medical Center.

Asher Runnels has returned home after being a patient at the Central Maine Medical Center in Lewiston.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perry were Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Hladik and Jonathan Perry of Bristol, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flint, Fairfield, Conn., and family are spending some time with his mother, Mrs. Leona Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perkins have moved into their new home on Upper Mason Street, the former Rosa Garber house.

Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Onofrio will spend the holiday with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Onofrio, in Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bangs and family of Hermon are spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Faudi are spending Thanksgiving with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Emens, Paris Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perry plan to spend Thanksgiving with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Griffin, Bridgton.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker, Jr., Kim, of Milford, Conn., and Vicki, of Reno, Nev., will spend the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Parker Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dock will spend the Thanksgiving holiday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Dock, and family in Glastonbury, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Butters and family will join a family gathering at the home of Mrs. Maude Danforth, in East Bethel, Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brown, Washington, D. C., Margaret Joy Tibbets, and Mr. and Mrs. Barrie Freeman will be guests of Mrs. R. R. Tibbets, Thanksgiving Day.

College students home for the holiday include: Tony Butters, UMO; Priscilla Webster, Barrington College, Rhode Island; Marc Packard; Debra and Nancy Buck, UMO; Annemarie Saunders, Thomas College.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Conrad Thanksgiving Day will be: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown, Julia Brown, and Mrs. Leona Flint of Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flint and family of Fairfield, Conn.; Mr. and Mrs. Peter Howard and family, Bridgton; and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bennett and family of Westbrook.

Mrs. Edna York will travel Thanksgiving Day to her sister's, Mrs. Jennie Jones, in Lewiston. They will be entertaining at a family gathering Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Gingsras (Betty Lou) and family, Mr. and Mrs. Peter York and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phaneuf (Julie) and family.

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BLOOD DONOR'S CLINIC SUCCESSFUL MONDAY

Thanks to the many donors, volunteers, church and service organizations, the Red Cross Blood Donor's Clinic on Monday was successful in obtaining 97 units of blood from 112 donors.

In addition to the American Red Cross Blood mobile staff, 94 volunteers were involved in soliciting donors, manning the clinic and providing supper and home made cookies. Special thanks go to Gould Academy for preparation and use of Bingham Hall.

NEWS FROM THE WEST PARISH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Last Sunday's service at the West Parish Congregational Church witnessed an outstanding performance by the Youth Fellowship and Sunday School. Jay Davis, son of Mac and Nancy Davis, proved to be a very able worship leader. Assisting as advisors, teachers and coaches were: Jane Chandler, Carollee Doty, Mem Knight, Mrs. Herbert Lyon, Steve and Peggy Wight, Ted and Linda Davis, and Mary Valentine.

This coming Sunday will be the first Sunday in Advent. The annual Advent Workshop is planned for Sunday afternoon. Some of the workshop tasks include making and hanging wreaths and other green decorations, hanging banners in the sanctuary and getting out the birch log candle holders. Fresh evergreens are needed for the 40 wreaths required for the church's decoration and for the annual Christmas Fair and Tea on Dec. 6. All community members interested in helping with the Advent Workshop are urged to come Sunday afternoon from 2-5 p. m.

Summer Burgess, Chairman of the 1981 Stewardship Committee, announced that pledges received on the first day of the campaign amounted to one-third of the total goal of \$25,000, a very encouraging start. At a meeting held in the evening of Nov. 23, the Stewardship Committee worked on assignments for conducting a complete canvass of all church members and friends.

The second session of the Adult Study Group met on Sunday evening at the church. The topic for this course is Latin America. Each session is guided by Jim Chandler who will hold the next class on Dec. 7 at 7 p. m. Anyone interested in joining these study group sessions is very welcome.

DIFFERENCES IN BRITISH AND AMERICAN SCHOOL SYSTEMS NOTED

The chief differences between British and American school systems are the United States' colorful textbooks and its system of elementary and secondary school counseling. This is the opinion of two British teachers who have been visiting the University of Maine at Orono's College of Education. Andrew Milbourne and Peter Noon, teachers in the Norwich, England, school system are studying American public school systems as well as American-style basketball during a month's leave from their regular jobs. Two Maine teachers are scheduled to visit the Norwich, England, school system next year.

Miss Lottie Butters and Bruce Stevens spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour Butters.

On Friday, Nov. 21, Muriel Faudt, with Verna Swan, Georgia Jordan and Mary Knights, attended the Western Older Citizens Council membership meeting in Livermore Falls. The speaker was Robert Burgess from the Consumer Division of the Attorney General's office and entertainment was provided by Paul Dube, guitarist-singer.

Ralph "Jug" Merrill

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Penny Eileen Walker

WALKER - GAUDREAU ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Walker are pleased to announce the engagement of their daughter, Penny Eileen, to Geoffrey Gaudreau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gaudreau of Bethel.

Miss Walker and her fiancé are both 1978 graduates of Telstar Regional High School. Geoff is self-employed.

A June wedding is planned.



Miss Jane E. Hathaway

HATHAWAY - NIRO ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth C. Hathaway of Locke Mills announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane Elizabeth, to Michael J. Niro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pasquale Niro of Milford, Mass.

Miss Hathaway is a graduate of Telstar Regional High School, Bethel, also a graduate of Burdett School in Boston. She is employed as a bookkeeper by Air Products.

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EXPECTANT PARENTS COURSE TO START AT HEALTH CENTER ON TUESDAY, DEC. 2

An eight week course for expectant parents will be held Tuesday evenings starting Dec. 2 at the Bethel Area Health Center from 7 to 9 p. m.

Classes will teach participants Lamaze Breathing-Relaxation techniques for use in labor and delivery. Fathers are urged to attend as Lamaze method emphasizes "coaching". Other "natural" childbirth techniques and philosophies will be discussed and exercises taught.

Classes will feature health care professionals in the childbirth field as speakers, many valuable handouts will be passed out, slides, filmstrips, and childbirth movies will be shown.

Classes are scheduled as follows:
I. Introduction: What is Lamaze; Breathing; Natural Childbirth; Diet; Exercise; Drugs. Speaker, D. Chapman.

II. Reproductive Anatomy and Physiology. Speaker, B.A.H.C. Staff M. D. or P. A.

III. Labor and Delivery. Childbirth movie.

IV. Hospital Tour. Speaker, Obstetric Nurse.

V. The Newborn. B.A.H.C. Pediatrician.

VI. Feeding Your Baby; Psychology of Feeding. La Leche League Speaker.

VII. Parenting; Postpartum Parents and Baby. Speaker, Public Health Nurse.

VIII. Mock Labor and Review. Singles and couples are welcome. There will be a registration fee. Please call Donna Richardson after 5 at 836-2233 for further information.

Mr. and Mrs. Ranaid Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stevens and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Stevens and family, and Hubert Stevens will hold a family gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stevens, Thanksgiving Day.

and Chemicals in Framingham, Mass.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Milford High School and is employed by New England Tel. & Tel. in Worcester, Mass.

The wedding is planned for Aug. 2, 1981.

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Coordinator Sought For Living Nativity

Who will coordinate the Living Nativity this year? If the same procedure is followed as last year, there will be the one and only rehearsal Saturday, Dec. 20, and performances on Sunday, Dec. 21. Last year's coordinator, Lyn Bristol, has all the information in one envelope which she will hand over to anyone, two or three, interested in taking over the job. Lyn is not able to do the necessary backstage preparations but offers to conduct the choir and to assist on Nativity Week End. The Moses Mason House will be available once again to provide a warm gathering and dressing place. Snack foods can be brought there at any time Saturday should there indeed be a pageant this year.

If the 16 year old tradition is to be continued in Bethel, one or two key people are needed to coordinate this year's Living Nativity. It's not a difficult job and townspeople are very cooperative.

Food for thought: In order to prevent the extinction of this well-known tradition, it might be prudent for one of the service organizations such as the Chamber of Commerce to sponsor the annual pageant. There is no one "in charge" at present. Think about it, Bethel.

HIGH WINDS CAUSE DAMAGE

High velocity winds Wednesday night and Thursday of this week caused many trees to be blown over in the local area. Power outages were reported in many areas. Schools of SAD 44 were cancelled today because of power loss and travel conditions in outlying areas.

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SAD 44 ADULT AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION NIGHT

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